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U.S. National Stage Filing (35 USC 371)
of PCT/EP2004/007648

For: **METHOD AND DEVICE FOR IDENTIFYING A DEFECT
OR FAILURE OF A COMPRESSED AIR LOAD CIRCUIT
IN AN ELECTRONIC COMPRESSED AIR INSTALLATION
FOR VEHICLES**

February 21, 2007

**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS
MAILED FEBRUARY 6, 2007**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in Response to the Notification of Missing Requirements in the above-referenced patent application mailed February 6, 2007, a copy of which is enclosed herewith. This Response is being submitted within the two-month shortened statutory period set for response in the Notification. A Preliminary Amendment including a Substitute Specification (clean and marked copies) is being submitted concurrently herewith.

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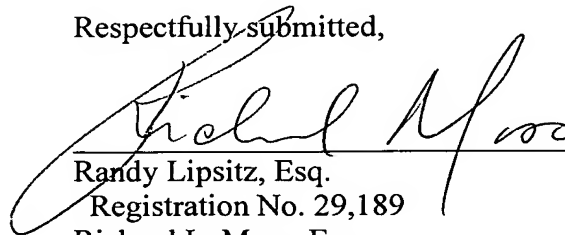
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To complete the filing requirements in the above-referenced patent application, Applicants respectfully submit herewith a new combined Declaration, Power of Attorney and Petition signed by the inventors.

Also, a check in the amount of \$200 is enclosed covering the additional claim fees. Please charge any fee deficiency and credit any overpayment to the undersigned attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0540.

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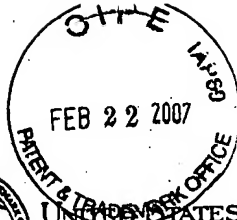


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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 01/25/2006
- English Translation of the IA filed on 01/25/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 01/25/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 01/25/2006
- Oath or Declaration filed on 01/25/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 01/25/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 01/25/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Additional claim fees of \$200 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$200 for a Large Entity:

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$ 200

- \$200 for 4 total claims over 20.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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